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An Open Letter to

Lee Freeman, Chief Constable, Humberside Police Headquarters
Priory Road Police Station
Priory Road, Hull HU5 5SF

Dear Chief Constable Freeman

Re Councillor Stephen Parnaby, Leader of the East Riding of Yorkshire Council,

My letter to you dated 25th June, delivered 26th, in the fourth paragraph refers to Councillor Parnaby's dubious deals and the need for openness and transparency in a situation which can easily facilitate corruption. We did not have to wait too long for a perfect example to re-appear as the article by Alexandra Wood in the Yorkshire Post 27th June referring to the sale of the Bridlington Belvedere Golf Club land clearly demonstrates (copy enclosed).

There has been much publicity over this arrangement since first being investigated by BBC Look North and I also enclose copies of the three letters written by me on the subject 27th March, 29th March and 12th April 2018.

This episode also demonstrates the other point in my previous letter to you regarding there being no "checks and balances" on Councillor Parnaby's activities. When the local ERYC councillor, David Robson is unable to find out what has been happening over several years regarding a publicly owned asset in his own constituency because ERYC have declared it "commercially sensitive" after the transactions were closely linked to the Leader of the council, Councillor Parnaby, it proves that openness and transparency are no longer values expected within County Hall and that those officers who are expected to invigilate are in fact just protecting him.

Should Councillor Parnaby chose to sell off valuable publicly owned land to one of his friends at knock down bargain basement prices, he (when found out) should be made to pay the difference himself (AND THEN SENT TO PRISON).

Yours sincerely

Peter Robinson

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